

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 1286

By Littleton

A RESOLUTION to commemorate the grand opening of the new Health Careers Building at the Tennessee College of Applied Technology at Dickson.

WHEREAS, the members of this General Assembly are pleased to recognize a valuable addition to the campus and overall learning environment of the Tennessee College of Applied Technology at Dickson (TCAT-Dickson); and

WHEREAS, TCAT-Dickson is celebrating the grand opening of its new Health Careers Building on the main campus; and

WHEREAS, the new Health Careers Building encompasses three classrooms, a simulation laboratory for the practical nursing program, four dental operatories and one dental preparation lab for the dental assistant program, and other rooms serving about 100 students and five faculty members in the college's health careers programs; and

WHEREAS, in addition to providing much-needed new classroom space for the campus, the 11,850-square-foot building features state-of-the-art labs to enhance the learning experience for students by preparing them with realistic practice; and

WHEREAS, the new Health Careers Building furthers TCAT-Dickson's capacity to strengthen the workforce and economic development of Dickson and surrounding communities; and

WHEREAS, nurses and allied health professionals are vital, highly trained components of our healthcare system, and TCAT-Dickson is providing a beneficial service to its community by offering instruction in these fields; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED TENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE

CONCURRING, that we commemorate the grand opening of the new Health Careers Building at the Tennessee College of Applied Technology at Dickson and thank the administration, faculty, and staff of TCAT-Dickson for providing exceptional training programs that enable Tennesseans to enter into rewarding careers in nursing and allied health.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.